

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Jörn Dietrich

Examiner:

Elve, Maria Alexandra

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Stripping Insulation from Flat Cables

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed June 23, 2005, said period of response being extended from September 23, 2005 to October 23, 2005.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

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Date: September 27, 2005

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